

Federal Communications Commission
Office Of The Secretary
1919 M Street NW Room 222
Washington, DC 20554


RM-9208

Please consider approval for proposal RM-9208. This proposal is for licensing of Low Powered FM broadcasting, the "Rodger Skinner LPFM Petition for Rulemaking".

I am a member of an ethnic group, and many of our group (about 5,000 people) live within a radius of about two kilometers of each other. We have tried to get a "show" on a commercial station, but the cost is \$200-\$400 per hour, which is prohibitive. We would like to broadcast our ethnic music (24 hours per day), classes in our language and culture, and children's shows on weekends and early evenings. (Most of what is currently broadcast is not of our ethnic group's culture, or not suitable for our children, or just not of interest to people in our group) Our broadcasting needs would be served with a low powered FM transmitter, say 10 watts, to cover our neighborhood.

Please consider approving the proposal. Thank you very much.

Signed,


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